



Authentic Spring Models In Women's Suits Modestly Priced!

'T would be absolute folly to attempt a description of the many exquisite models that have but just arrived—some not even removed from their boxes at this writing—but we are so anxious for you to see them, that a partial description of these beautiful specimens of the Tailor's art, we are sure, will meet with hearty acclaim—The Pricings are exceptionally modest.

Spring Suits at . . . \$15.00

Perhaps never have models of this character been so reasonably priced—pleasing styles in plain or novelty materials, with short cutaway coats, with nobby collar and cuff effects, and skirts with just the right "hang" to them—really, the materials for these suits would cost as much as the suit complete!

Authoritative Styles are also shown in Beautiful Suits in English Welts, Shepherd Plaids, Bedford and Eponge, in semi-belted and cutaway models, at from

\$25.00 \$29.75 to \$39.75

Ratine Dresses, in pretty striped and solid materials, are shown in many clever styles, at . . . **\$10.75 and \$11.50**

Another Shipment of Those Pretty Silk Foulard Dresses at \$5.00

Seems as if the makers can not make them fast enough—there are just 15 dresses in this shipment—every one a perfect marvel at the **\$5.00** price (Actually a \$12.50 value)



Spring Suits at . . . \$22.50

Nobby, semi-belted and full-belted models, with button and just a touch of lace trimming, on materials of clever weaving, in either light or dark colors—a selection of surpassing beauty, with cunningly cut coats that cut away at the belt, and skirts of plain but rich design—Truly these are suits to be proud of—**\$22.50** at

Charming Dresses, in Batistes, Madras and Gingham, with kid belt and button trimming are pleasingly priced at

\$5.50 \$6.95 \$7.50 and up to \$12.50

Eponge Dresses, in exquisite design, having draped effect in silk piping, tastefully trimmed with fancy buttons, in the most desired shades, at **\$25.00**

Beautiful Neckwear—In Irish Point Lace—and Robespierre Ruffling

Dainty, exquisite collars and chemisettes, in small or large styles, are shown in an immense gathering at 25c to **98c** Robespierre Ruffling, in black, white and ecru, is shown in neat patterns, at 25c, 35c and **50c**



The New Hats For Spring!

Authentic creations—so distinctive in style and character—but weakly express the real excellence of this brilliant gathering—The new shades, Coq Roche, Nollroce, and the soft shades of American Beauty and Taupe are cleverly blended and exquisitely fashioned, from pert, up-turned brims to the quaint "What do you think of it?" question and saucy stic kum trimmings—The "Calisher" excellence is fascinatingly present in every one of these rare and beautiful hats, temptingly priced at **\$5.00 to \$17.50**

The Marvelous Beauties of the New Spring Dress Fabrics Temptingly Displayed

The soft, clinging effects will be more than ever in demand, with dainty Crepe de Chines, Foulards and Messalines to the fore—while in woollens, the ever-favored shepherd plaids and stripe novelties will be extensively used—The "Calisher" exhibit of these materials offers a wide choice of both material and design and in every instance, the pricing will be found lower!

Very Special Features are these \$2.00 Charmeuse **\$1.59** Silks at yard, Full 42 inches wide, in all desired shades and black or white, Shepherd Plaid Suitings, in small or large plaids, Novelty Suitings, in English welts, Bedford, stripes and broken plaids, at \$1.00 to \$2.50 the yard.

46 in. Bordered Lace-Stripe Ratine Suitings in 5 yard patterns are shown in all wanted shades, specially priced, the pattern, at **\$6.00**

\$1.00 "Indro" Silks, 89c yard, The genuine R. & T. "Indro" silk, full 37 in. wide, in all desired shades, 72 in. Italian Silk, **\$2.00** yard, An exceptionally fine silk, in white only, excellent for making undergarments.

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The New Waists For Spring!

Are wonderfully designed on quite simple lines, with just a touch of color—in a neat little bow, a patch pocket and a fancy collar or cuff—or in the dainty lingerie and lace styles, the trimmings are more elaborate, with the fluted ruffling much in evidence in collar, cuff and chemisette. The shirts for early spring wear are particularly charming, and are more shown here in many new and clever models, in neat stripe effects, plain flannels and in embroidered linen and line—An immense assortment **69c up to \$2.50**

The Excellence of These New Spring Wash Fabrics Accounts for the Rapid Selling

Isn't it beautiful—Where did you get it? Why, at "Calisher's" of course—There never has been such a beautiful display of dainty wash materials as are here now—

English Welts, in black, blue or pink—a heavy material—very stylish, serviceable and an excellent suiting, at **35c** Solid Ratines, extra wide, in all wanted shades, **50c** Serge Suitings, in neat stripes on white grounds, at **25c** Corded Voiles, in Ratine effects, in all desired shades—a suiting of more than ordinary merit—and pleasing appearance, **50c** Early Ratines, double fold, in neat stripes, at the **75c** yard New Madras Waistings, in dainty patterns, worth 25c, at **15c** yard

Lower Floor—Thursday Specials

10-4 (note the width) Bleached Sheeting, round thread, 30c value **25c** 42 in. Bleached Pillow Tubing, fine quality, worth 20c. Sale price **15c** 11-4 White Crochet Counterpanes, fringed, cut corners, **\$1.79** worth \$2.25 High Grade Sheets, in Defender, Palma and other brands, slightly soiled, at greatly reduced prices! Pretty Dress Gingham, in neat plaids and checks, worth **7 1/2c** 12 1/2c yard Women's Percale House Dresses, a new shipment, worth **79c** at \$1.50, at Women's White Lawn Waists, with lace or emb. trimmings—worth \$1.00 **39c** at \$1.25, choice **\$1.00**

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Extra Special!

Val Laces—worth regularly 50c the bolt, at **25c** Bordered Huck Towels, worth \$1.50, the dozen, at **\$1**

THE BIG SALE OF LACES STILL IN PROGRESS

Bands and Edgings, worth up to 50c the yard, at **15c** Macrame and Ratine Bands worth to \$1.00 the yard, **25c** Beautiful 40 and 60 inch Lace Flouncings, in Bohemian and Bulgarian effects, for graduation and confirmation dresses, party and dancing frocks—in silk and cotton, at from 90c to \$2.65 the yard, really worth double and more.

The Drapery Section

(Now on Lower Floor Balcony) Continues the closing out of all remaining Rug, Art Pieces, Draperies, Go Caris, etc., at prices below actual cost.

SALARY BILL TIED UP IN SENATE

New Mexico House Spends Two Days Reversing and Doubling Back.

ROW REPORTED IN CAUCUS OF SENATE

SANTA FE, N. M., Feb. 12—Now that the house has passed the salary and district attorney measure, the attention of all interested in these two bills is being centered on the senate. It is extremely doubtful that the present salary bill will even be allowed to come up in the senate, because of the known opposition to it. The Republican leaders do not care to have it defeated.

There is much talk of changes in the salary bill before it is presented for action in the senate and it is felt that the Republican leaders are by no means so confident of their strength to pass the measure as they were yesterday.

The salary bill is gaining in favor and it is said that inasmuch as the Democratic bill was not introduced yesterday, it may not be introduced at all, but that the Democrats may attempt to amend the McKinley county measure to suit their ideas.

For legislative acrobatics the house of the New Mexico legislature takes the cake. It is doubtful if such a parliamentary proceeding was ever indulged in as has been witnessed in the house here during the past two days.

The salary bill was the special order

for Monday at 10 o'clock a. m., and the house immediately went into committee of the whole for its consideration. Practically the whole day was spent in committee of the whole, and the bill was reported out with comparatively few amendments, the salaries of probate judges being slightly raised.

After the bill had been reported to the house by the chairman of the committee of the whole, Blanchard made a short talk in which he moved that the amendments of the committee of the whole be not concurred in. Although this undid the whole day's work, and although every amendment made to the bill was put in by a majority vote on roll call at that, the house agreed with Mr. Blanchard and refused to concur in the amendments suggested by the committee of the whole.

Resolved Effort to Amend. Finding their cherished amendments thus wiped out, the members commenced trying to amend the bill in the house proper, but this was not allowed, and a vote on the passage of the bill was called for. The roll call showed 28 for the bill and 29 against. The speaker declared that the bill had not passed since the bill carried the emergency clause, which, according to the constitution, required a two-thirds vote to pass it. Blanchard appealed from the ruling of the chair, but the house sustained the speaker. Several motions to adjourn were made, and attempts made to reconsider the vote by which the bill had been defeated, but no one on the right side of the question would make the motion to reconsider, so another attempt was made to adjourn, on which the roll call was demanded. This resulted in a 24 to 24 vote, the speaker calling the deciding vote in favor of adjourning.

Attorney General's Opinion. When the house met at 10 a. m. Tuesday, the first action was the reading of a communication presented by the speaker in which the attorney general in a formal opinion upheld the speaker in holding that the bill had been defeated because it had not received two-thirds of the votes in its favor. The attorney general suggested, however, a different form of an emergency clause, which in effect should state that for reasons of the public peace and safety, the bill should go into effect immediately if passed by a two-thirds vote, but should go into effect 90 days after the adjournment of the legislature, if passed only by a majority.

Rogers, who Monday had voted against the bill, moved to reconsider it. This carried. He then moved to amend the emergency clause in keeping with the suggestions of the attorney general and this was done.

Then the house started in and, with but one or two exceptions amended the bill as it had been amended Monday in committee of the whole. The various members were warned that to change it from the form agreed upon by the joint committees of the two houses would imperil its passage, but the legislators would not be deterred, and amendments were made. Other was put in until it was scarcely recognized as the original salary bill. The house then took a recess until 2:30.

The Bill Passed. When the house convened in the afternoon it put in the first 40 minutes discussing and making amendments to the salary bill. At the end of that time a motion was put and carried, the state reading of which was to obliterate all traces of those, except the one in the emergency clause inserted in the morning. Then the house passed the bill, 24 to 24. As it lacked the two-thirds to make it an emergency measure, the speaker declared it would take effect 90 days after the adjournment of the session.

Many Sideights. There were several sideights on the existing situation in the state visible at different times during the morning. Tucker, of Sierra county, wanted the bill passed so that he could get on the highway paid 10 percent interest on the bill, which he had been deprived of since a year ago, when they took up their new duties under the constitution which says that the legislature at its first session shall pass a salary bill. Tucker contended that the bill should have been passed last spring and Blanchard shouted: "We did pass the bill, but the governor vetoed it," Tucker wanted to know who was to blame, since the legislature had passed a salary bill, and the governor had vetoed it.

The Governor's Reply. Tucker refused to acknowledge that the governor was to blame, stating that the members knew when they were working on the bill that the governor would not sign it. However the impression left by this incident, and the state reading of the morning, was that the governor was to blame because there was not a salary bill in effect now, and further that some members of the legislature didn't care very much whether a salary bill was passed this session or not, evidently figuring that they would again be able to saddle the blame on the governor.

Divided Opinions. Opinions are divided as to whether any solution of the question is afforded by the substitute bill which was introduced in the senate Monday evening. This bill puts every county in a class

by itself, and is supposed to arrange the salaries with reference to the area of the county, its population and taxable wealth. It is a noticeable feature that the bill, as a whole, averaged lower salaries than are provided for in the present bill, although in some instances slightly higher salaries are provided for. This bill, making each county a class, and not making it depend on an arbitrary classification in population and size and only appearing at a common level on the basis of taxable property assessed by almost as many different ways as there are counties, seems to offer some hope of solution for a problem which is daily growing more and more difficult.

Added to all this, there is always present a lobby of county officials who are striving by every possible method to obtain the maximum salaries, while the taxpayers have no representative unless the representatives from that county sides against his county official, which few seem to do.

District Attorney Bill. Late in the afternoon the house passed the district attorney bill by a vote of 22 to 11, after the salaries in the third and seventh districts had been increased \$250 each.

After disposing of the county salary bill, the house went into committee of the whole, with Mr. Blanchard in the chair, and the clerk read the bill in full. Mr. Rogers immediately started a loud cry, saying that he believed the house could draft a far better measure.

Amending the Bill. The salary of the district attorney of the third district was raised \$250, this amount being apportioned as follows: Dona Ana county, \$75; Torrance county, \$75; Lincoln county, \$50; Otero county, \$75. Though there was some opposition to this amendment, it disappeared when Mr. Carron, who offered it, explained that it was made to correct a mistake. The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hilton attempted to get an amendment through which would do the same thing for the seventh district, but this fell down. Later, when the bill came before the house, it was amended. The apportionment was made as follows: Socorro county, \$100; Valencia and Sierra counties, \$75 each.

Paying Hotel Bills. Mr. Christman offered an amendment to strike out the portion of the bill allowing hotel bills to district attorneys away from home. Mr. Christman's amendment was lost. A specific proviso was included that traveling expenses and hotel bills should not be

paid while the attorney was at motion in his own county.

The Emergency Clause. An amendment to the emergency clause, similar to that in the salary bill, was included at the suggestion of Mr. Tombs. The house then rose as a committee of the whole and reported the bill for passage.

The report was adopted, and after Mr. Hilton's successful attempt to get their pet amendments included, had been made, it was placed on its passage. The vote stood on the 11, notwithstanding that Mr. Rogers made a speech against the measure and moved to table it.

Senate Memorial. Out of respect to the memory of the late Solomon Luna, the senate transacted no business yesterday, but devoted its entire time to a memorial service for that statesman.

Senator W. B. Walton, of Grant county, who last Tuesday made the motion for the holding of the memorial service, was the first speaker.

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Senate Has a Row. The majority members of the senate held a caucus yesterday afternoon and rumor has it that it ended in a row. From the strict secrecy which the senators are observing regarding what happened, this is quite apt to be true. The story goes that the caucus was called to consider the much mooted salary question. At this point rumors differ. Some say that it was considered the Page bill and others that it was the finance committee measure upon which the caucus was held.

The story further goes that senators Holt and Miera engaged in a somewhat wordy tilt, the Sandoval county statesman being the aggressor, but this cannot be verified. Senator Holt, the floor leader, and senator Miera, the legislative committee, are known to be on opposite sides on the salary question, the chairman not favoring the committee bill, and the Dona Ana county member being set on its passage.

ORNER WITNESSES REPEAT TESTIMONY. Mrs. S. E. Irwin, Testifying for State, Says Mrs. Orner Asked Her Advice About Confession. Midland, Tex., Feb. 12—The state continued to present its witnesses in the third day of the Orner trial. C. H. Webster, a state ranger, gave the same testimony as in the previous trials. He testified that the testimony of J. D. Lee to the effect that he knew Willie Orner's life was insured for the benefit of the accused, Mrs. Agnes Orner.

The defense showed its hand for the first time in the cross examination of Mrs. S. E. Irwin. Mrs. Irwin repeated her former testimony that Mrs. Orner had asked her advice whether she should confess.

The defense's cross examination sought to show that Mrs. Orner was in a hysterical condition and not responsible for her statements.

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McCoy said he entered the river on the Mexican side just opposite the El Paso County jail, that another American was sent with him to the cemetery, but he does not know whether he escaped or not.

McCoy, it is alleged, about two weeks ago carried off a suit case belonging to a jockey, to Juarez, and it was for that he was placed in jail there.

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